



Kiwanians Enjoy Canoe Picnic

TRIP DOWN AU SABLE AND DINNER AT EDGEWATER

The members of the Kiwanis club and their ladies and a few friends enjoyed one of the finest affairs in the history of the club Sunday when a canoe carnival down the AuSable river and dinner were held.

Cars were transported early in the morning to Edgewater Beach, while at about 10:00 a. m. canoe loads were launched at the bridge in Grayling for their journey down the river. While the distance from Grayling to Edgewater is only about 8 1/2 miles by highway, by river it is about three times that distance.

The morning air was slightly chill, but a peeping sun soon modified the temperature and it turned out to be one of the most delightful days of the season. About 40 made the trip. Most of the canoes were manned by professional guides while others

everywhere, thrills, schools of whopper rainbow trout that scurry from deep holes when boats appear, the ever fascinating grandeur of the trees, beautiful wild flowers and shrubbery, the intense stillness broken only by the dip of the paddle and songs and calls of birds and wild life—it is all very entrancing. Comfortable summer homes appeared at occasional intervals, and an occasional fisherman, waist-deep in the water, with line drawn to one side would wait until the caravan of canoes passed by and, we presume, would wonder what it was all about.

Such an occasion is not without its humorous incidents. As this writer and his family shoved off from the dock everyone predicted a spill and a good ducking for the occupants of the canoe, and to make matters worse the canoe was hung up on the bank before rounding the bend and out of sight of the crowd at the dock. But soon the feel of the paddle and a little experience in guiding made everything fine and there were no spills and no duckings from that canoe.

John Bruun pulled a smart idea when he coupled two canoes side by side, with a motor set between and all that was necessary was to handle the rudder. With him were Miss Jane Robbin and Mr. Mortenson of Louisville, Ky., and Roy Trudgeon.

Mrs. Harold Cliff found the water plenty wet at the bottom of the river. Also Holger Peterson dipped up some of the river.

A few kinks in the legs and back from sitting in a canoe for about four hours were soon limbered up when a couple of soft ball teams were organized, the five inning period ending in five runs each. The ground was soft and rough and every attempt at catching a fly ball meant a spill, and Dr. Stealy usually took a back somersault but he hung on to the ball.

The dinner bell told that tables were set and chicken ready to serve. What a dinner it was! Everyone did justice to a very enjoyable feast. Tables were set in the house and on the front porch.

"Washboard", colored servant at McClanahan's lodge, and radio star, entertained during the dinner with a program of vocal numbers, he playing his own accompaniment on a guitar. He is a very clever entertainer and added to the pleasure of the occasion.

More soft ball after the dinner and the departure of members at their pleasure, ended the festivities of a most delightful event.

Work Progressing On Sewage Disposal Plant

Work on the new sewage disposal plant is progressing very nicely and it is hoped to have it ready for operation by sometime in October.

Considerable trouble has been experienced from shallow water, this, however has been well overcome. The sludge bed section is in the low land and pumps had to be constantly in use in order to keep the ground free enough from water in order to pour the cement floors.

Already completed are the digester, coronator, boiler house, sludge beds, and sedimentation tank. City Manager George Granger says the plant is from 65 to 70% finished and will probably be put into operation sometime in October.

To Lay Post Office Corner-stone Soon

TO BE READY FOR USE BY CHRISTMAS

Progress has been so rapid in constructing Grayling's splendid new Post Office building that it is expected occupancy will occur about December first, or three months in advance of the time originally contemplated. The established and reliable builder, James I. Barnes, Inc., of Culver, Ind., under the superintendence of Thomas Bogardus has had no hindrances. This efficient organization together with ideal weather conditions has made exceptional work progress as is not the usual case in the building of post office structures throughout the U. S. The Barnes firm built the Boyne City Post Office building a few years ago and only recently finished Federal buildings at Garrett, Ind., St. Joseph, Mich., Escanaba, Michigan, and other such buildings are now under construction in Michigan and Indiana by this organization.

Plans for the laying of the corner-stone shortly is under the direction of Mayor George Burke. A brief program to commemorate the occasion will take place. Upon completion of the building in December a big dedication ceremony will occur and the program will include a parade, speeches, a banquet and a big dance. Nothing could be more appropriate because the construction of this fine new structure has been as predicted a stimulating effect to building and real estate in Grayling and as a result there has been more re-modeling and building this year than ever before, and with the completion of the post office building, a more attractive business street is to follow. Grayling is happy that proper initiative and very much hard work by the present post office administration accomplished an objective which Grayling has been seeking for years and which other communities of larger population and a higher post office classification are still seeking.

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Jayne Keyport Wins Handicap Tourney

The handicap tournament played by the ladies of the Grayling Golf club ended last Saturday, with Miss Jayne Keyport winning over Mrs. C. G. Clippert in the finals. A complete report of the tournament up to the finals appeared in last week's paper, and the thirty-six holes of the finals which were played off Friday and Saturday by Miss Keyport and Mrs. Clippert, proved to be very exciting with Miss Keyport coming out on top to be the 1937 Handicap Tournament Champion.

This is not the first glory in the way of golf to have come to the champ. In 1934 Miss Jayne sunk the putt to make her champion of the Championship tournament, as she did in 1935 in the Handicap tournament. Last year when she was an employee in the Dept. of State in Lansing, she was champion of the first flight of the State employee tournament held at the Indian Hills Golf Club.

Hail to the champion and congratulations.

IRA LEONARD PASSED AWAY

Ira A. Leonard, age 53 years, a resident of Grayling since 1903, passed away at his home suddenly, early Monday morning, the cause of death being given out as apoplexy. Mr. Leonard seemed to be in his usual health on retiring Sunday evening and so his passing came as a shock to his family and friends.

Ira Leonard was born near Sanilac, Mich. He with his parents the late Mr. and Mrs. John Leonard, came to Grayling from Waters and this place had been his home since, except for a few years spent in Flint. He worked for Salling Hanson company when they were in operation and for other firms here.

The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon with services at the Sorenson funeral chapel with interment in Elmwood cemetery. Among those from out of town in attendance at the funeral were the deceased's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Leonard, of Flint.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to neighbors and friends for their kindness and sympathy in our late bereavement. Mr. and Mrs. George H. Leonard and Relatives.

Drum & Bugle Corps Invited To New York

IS ONE OF FIVE IN MICHIGAN TO GET INVITATION

Would Require \$800 To Pay Expenses

Grayling American Legion Drum and Bugle Corps is in receipt of a letter from the National Committee of the American Legion inviting them to participate in the national Legion convention parade to be held in New York City September 19, 20 and 21.

The invitation came Monday morning and was very much of a surprise inasmuch as the local Corps was not in attendance at the State Legion convention held in Detroit last week.

Grayling Drum and Bugle Corps has a membership of 37, are attractively uniformed, have the very latest type of instruments and the musical training. Wherever this organization goes it puts Grayling and Northern Michigan on the map. Under the leadership of Harold McNeven the members have acquired a high rank as musicians. Trained as they are in every phase necessary to high achievement, this organization is outstanding and their appearance in public draws most flattering applause.

Of course it will take money to send this corps of 37 men to

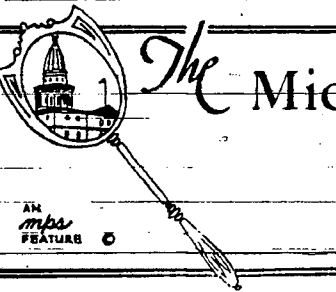
New York for three days. No body can expect the men to pay their own expenses, but we believe it will be well worth it to Crawford county and especially to Grayling if a fund can be raised sufficient to pay the cost of such a trip. It is estimated that the cost will amount to about \$800. There are about three more weeks before the convention; in the meantime some plan may perhaps be devised for raising the amount of money necessary for sending the Grayling Corps to New York.

NEW GAME LAWS PUBLISHED

The first supply of the revised game-law digests for 1937-1938 has been received by the department of conservation from the state printer. A million copies are being printed and distribution of these together with the new hunting and trapping licenses to license agents will be started September 1.

COUNTY TREASURER'S OFFICE CLOSED FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

The local county treasurer's office will be closed Friday and Saturday of this week. However, Mr. Ferguson, treasurer announces that he will allow all next week for the collection of taxes for those who wish to take advantage of the ten-year plan. The scheduled deadline is Sept. 1st but he will give the extension of several days.



Non-partisan News Letter Michigan Press Association By GENE ALLEMAN

Lansing—Only five days remain for owners of nearly a half million Michigan farms, homes and vacant lots to save their property from being forfeited to the state for nonpayment of delinquent taxes.

To the press of Michigan has been given the educational job of informing taxpayers how they can save their homes and farms through the payment before Sept. 1 of one-tenth of the delinquent levies. The state government, utilizing the medium of the printed word, is expending \$25,000 to acquaint the people with the facts.

Tax delinquencies involve 1,500,000 pieces of property of which approximately one-third are in Wayne county. Owners of these properties may pay one-tenth of the total tax amount, plus a 2 per cent collection fee, and thus can redeem the property at once. Otherwise, owners face penalties up to 35 per cent. Property that is not redeemed will go to public sale next spring.

Our Tent Cities

Now that the federal housing bill has been passed by congress, authorizing \$528,000,000 for loans and grants, Michigan municipal officials are surveying their local housing needs and hoping that something can be done.

Particularly concerned are two Michigan cities—Pontiac and Flint—where welfare families are being housed today in tents. Along with the spiraling cost of living, rents have gone up. Vacant houses are scarce. In many municipalities there exists an outright shortage for the first time in a decade.

The federal measure contains safeguards against the construction of de luxe homes and apartments for the purpose of slum clearance. Furthermore, a state statute in Michigan limits the jurisdiction of existing state housing authority to cities over 500,000—in other words, to Detroit.

In the judgment of several Michigan congressmen, the state legislature should be asked in its special session this fall to amend the law, permitting other cities to participate in the half billion housing fund.

Canning Wages Increase

One of the leading industries in Michigan—one which provides welcome spending money for thousands of families—is the canning industry. When crops are good and money is plentiful, the canning factories hum with activity. Such is the case this year in Michigan, thanks to a bountiful season.

It is good news to everyone to hear that the average weekly wage for July was \$18.64 this year, compared with \$12.73 a year ago. George A. Krogstad,

state-commissioner of labor and industry, reports that employment in these food plants increased 17.8 per cent.

Because of their seasonal needs, canning plants have been significantly free from labor trouble. In contrast with their happy condition is the furniture industry which has experienced sagging employment and payrolls.

Slot Machines

While the state legislature has officially and legally adjourned, subject to a second special session in the fall, several legislative committees remain at work. One of these is investigating the gambling industry in Michigan with the naive idea of finding out who is running it and how much graft is being paid for protection.

Hearings are being conducted in secrecy by Representatives Carl DeLano of Kalamazoo, a republican, and John Hamilton and Chester Fitzgerald of Detroit, both democrats.

The investigators declare that criminal action may be sought if evidence justifies. The legislators' dilemma is quite obvious. If the committee finds what it is looking for, it will have dynamite on its hands, for gamblers and politicians are likely to exert unusual pressure to block disastrous disclosures. If the committee find no evidence, critics will suspect that pressure was applied successfully.

Representative Hamilton introduced a bill last spring to legalize gambling through a state licensing system.

Wages and Rates

In the legislature session, last spring, two lobbies pitted their strength against each other in seeking passage of bills affecting transportation in Michigan.

The railroads facing prospects of wage increases, sought legislation to protect them against the ever-increasing competition of motor trucks.

Motor truck people, organized into a well-functioning lobby, asked special legislation to rescue their business from what some leaders termed to be "impending bankruptcy."

Then came the threat of a nation-wide strike of railroad workers; a wage increase averted this. The truckers then experienced a strike, as drivers demanded more wages under union conditions. A month's truce was effected.

Last week the state public utilities commission ordered a mandatory increase in freight rates for truck carriers. The higher rates may enable truck carriers to increase wages of drivers, and the same rates may return some of the diverted business back to the railroads. Even Commissioner Glenwood of the state commission admits that the rate change is experimental.

Capt. Bates Talks On Philippine Experience

WAS KIWANIS SPEAKER WEDNESDAY. ENROUTE TO UTAH

Capt. Russell E. Bates, just home from three years' service in the Philippines, was prevailed upon to stop over long enough to give a talk before the Kiwanis club Wednesday.

He gave an interesting account of conditions he found in his army service in the Islands and also some sidelights pertaining to the Chinese-Japanese troubles. His first assignment in the Islands was as commander of the fort of Drum Island. This was a solid rock hewn down to water's edge and built up in the form of a battleship. It has an area of 8-10ths of an acre and is occupied only by Army officers and army laborers. He considers Fort Drum as the strongest fortification in existence. This, he said, was very confining service as he seldom left the island often than two weeks. He gave a description of the fortifications.

Another assignment was as commander of the fort on Corregidor Island, and later as commander of an army vessel doing coastguard duty. His talk was very interesting and was given in a very pleasing manner. Other guests present at the luncheon were H. W. Wolff, New York City, Charles Wylie of Olivet, Arthur Glidden of Gaylord and Attorney Miltner of Cadillac.

Rev. Flory Last Week's Speaker

The speaker last week was Rev. Edgar Flory of Michelson Memorial church. In the absence of a special speaker for the occasion he was induced to pinch-hit and as usual had an excellent speech ready. An outline of his talk follows:

Christendom Assembles

Eight hundred delegates and associates, representing ninety-six separate Christian communions, from thirty-three countries, assembled at Oxford, England recently. Every large Christian body in the world was represented, except the Roman Catholic Church, which declined to attend, and the German churches, which were not permitted by Hitler to send delegates.

This, we believe, was the first great world conference of its kind. It was an epoch-making event, because it was a sincere effort on the part of diverse Christian groups to face a common problem. That problem is the present world crisis, which threatens not only nations and (Continued on last page)

RANDOM THOTS

A certain Grayling man says he is happily married because "my wife goes her way and I go hers."

The proverbial three Rs have been supplanted by three G's—gals, gasoline, gins.

A couple who had courted 30 years got tired of seeing so much of one another and got married.

Rome and WPA projects weren't built in a day.

Two licenses are required in order to marry—marriage and automobile. And soon a certificate of health will be added.

A fellow would have to be an old-timer to remember when only loose women got drunk.

Willie says that an animal with large ears and a trunk is a GOP.

When habits are no longer fun, we give them up.

After everything else is gone we still have left our costly experience.

Dad may always have the car whenever repairs are needed.

We can't prevent people from becoming insane but why let so many run for office?

Sidetrack the guy who wants to make you rich but is broke himself.

Who can remember the days of hobble skirts? A girl had to peel her knee to go up a step.

A man never fools anyone long except himself.

Our business is to do a better job today than we did yesterday.

Pay your back taxes before Sept. 1st if you want to save a lot of interest money, and your home.

No use asking questions when you know you won't hear the truth in reply.

We honor men who are proud and unbending in defeat but humble and gentle in victory.

How one prefers to spend his leisure time is a portrayal of his real character.

A one-track mind may be all right provided it goes in the right direction.

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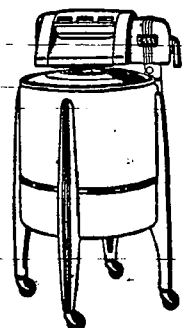
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Public Opinion

A JUST CRITICISM

Holly, Mich.
Aug. 16, 1937

Dear Sir:

One day last week I had the pleasure of standing on the bridge over the river in your beautiful little city and looking at the waters in the most beautiful and famous river in our fair State and a party with me remarked, "With such a wonderful river why would they put a sewer pipe here where everyone stopping can see the pollution running down the river?" I also wondered why.

Of course it is not my business but sometimes a stranger sees things from a different point of view than one who is used to them.

Just a Strange Friend.

While such criticisms are embarrassing, nevertheless the criticism is a just one. Just how this community has tolerated this condition for a half-century is hard to explain. However, we are happy to say that it won't be long now before our \$40,000 sewage disposal plant will be in operation and pollution of this beautiful river will be over. Thanks to our enterprising city officials and the local citizens who are loyally supporting them in their endeavors to make Grayling a better city in which to live.

JOHN SURDAY

John Surday who passed away at Lovells on August 16, was born June 27, 1888 in Streator, Ill. In 1910 when he was 22 years of age, he entered the employ of T. E. Douglas as bookkeeper for the Douglas interests at Lovells which included their mill, store, hotel and later the North Branch Outing Club operated by the Douglas family on the North Branch of the AuSable. He soon became a store manager and was in charge of the store until the day of his death.

To the thousands of fishermen from all over the United States who fished the North Branch, Mr. Surday was affectionately known as "John." To them John was an intimate part of the place. Although he never wet a line or fired a gun, he was the confident and advisor of hundreds of fishermen, tyros and experts. John would tell them where to fish and what fly to use. In his close contact with fishermen for many years he gathered fishing information and facts that made him one of them. Many North Branch fly casters will miss John Surday.

The funeral was held Thursday afternoon at West Branch with many friends from Lovells in attendance. Rev. Edgar Flory officiated. Surviving the deceased are his mother and stepfather Mr. and Mrs. George Dutko, of St. Helen; one brother Edward Dutko, of St. Helen, and five sisters Mrs. Martin Clemens and Mrs. Anna Spisak of Verdun, Ill.; Mrs. David Phibbs of Streator, Ill.; Mrs. Dorothy Engel, West Branch and Mrs. Wm. Beckhold, Detroit.

Most Isolated Land Area

For their size, the Hawaiian Islands represent the most isolated land area in the world. North America being their nearest neighbor continent.

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Personals

Charles McNamara Jr. is visiting relatives in Gladwin. He left Monday.

Miss Ruby Clay of Ypsilanti is the guest this week of Rev. and Mrs. Edgar Flory.

Frank P. Buza, of Rogers City, representative from this district, was a Grayling caller Tuesday.

Rev. Edgar Flory was in East Tawas Monday attending the Young People's Institute of the Saginaw District.

Mrs. Goldie Letzkus and daughter, Miss Mary Margaret, of Bay City, were guests of Miss Helen Pond, Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Rodney Richardson of Kalkaska and Mrs. James Thompson of Roscommon visited Mrs. Grant Thompson Saturday.

Miss Marian Beisel returned to her home in Grand Rapids Sunday after a week's visit with her mother, Mrs. Edna Whipple.

Miss Ingeborg Hanson had as her guests the last of the week Miss Irene Thayer and her mother Mrs. T. Thayer of Ypsilanti.

A. C. Peterson of Hanson Hardware, attended a hardware convention in Cleveland, the forepart of the week.

Miss Eva Dorr of Grass Lake called on friends in Grayling Friday, while enroute to St. Ignace for a short visit.

Postmaster and Mrs. McDonnell and C. J. McNamara were among those who attended the Lumberjack picnic in Edenville Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Farnum Scholz and daughters Cynthia and Caroline, of Grand Rapids, are guests this week at Camp Ginger-Quill on the AuSable.

Wayne Thompson and sons Bruce and Norman, of Drayton Plains, Mich., visited his brother Grant Thompson and family during the week end.

Henry Jordan, section foreman who has been employed in Saginaw for some time, has been transferred to the Grayling section of the M. C. R. R.

Arnold Jerome and Thurley Allen, of Pontiac, arrived Tuesday evening to spend the remainder of the week at the former's summer home on Lake Margrethe.

Axel Peterson and family will spend the week end in St. Louis going to accompany home Mrs. Rosa Parker, who has been visiting in Ohio, Lansing and St. Louis for several weeks.

Mrs. C. R. Keyport and daughter, Jayne, and Mrs. Herbert W. Wolff accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. M. Hildford Kittleman and son, Katharine Ann, spent Wednesday in Bay City.

Mrs. James Sherman is spending a couple of weeks in Flint. She accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Carol Vincent and family home, who had been visiting here for the week.

The William E. McCullough family, who have been spending the summer at their cabin on the East Branch, returned to Highland Park Wednesday. Spencer Holst, who has also been with the family, returned with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dorah have had as their guests for a fortnight Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eckler and daughter Miss Miriam of Columbus, O. They returned home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Holger F. Peterson and family had as their guests the latter's uncle and family. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Russell, daughter Bettie, and son Robert, of Cleveland over the week end.

Sunday guests at the James Lynch home were Mrs. P. Clements, Mrs. Edward Underwood, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lang, Bay City; Mr. and Mrs. John Kane and daughter, Mr. Pleasant, and Mrs. Morris McConnell and family of Rosebush.

Miss Mary Jane Land of Kalamazoo has been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George McCullough for a few days. Other guests at the McCullough home are Miss Lena Peterson and Mrs. E. M. Even-son of Parchment, Mich., the latter who is here for relief from hay fever. The ladies are friends of the Land family in Kalamazoo.

James Revell of Big Pool, Maryland, and his daughter and granddaughter Mrs. Eva DeVine and Miss Doris of Columbus, Miss., were callers of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peck last week. Mr. Revell is a nephew of Mrs. Peck. This trip back to Grayling and Michigan is the first for Mrs. DeVine since she left here twenty-one years ago, as a child.

Rev. and Mrs. Edgar Flory enjoyed a visit from the former's sister and family Mr. and Mrs. E. Linton Joaquin and son Junior of St. Louis, Mo. Their daughter Miss Paralee, who had been spending a couple of weeks here with the Florys returned home with them. At the morning worship service Sunday, Mrs. Joaquin and daughter Paralee sang a duet very beautifully.

Mrs. Cella Granger returned home Monday from a two weeks pleasure trip and has as her guests for a couple of days, Miss Minnie Bowman Miss Mae and Miss Riggs of Grand Rapids. Mrs. Granger in company with these ladies and Miss Mair of Detroit, enjoyed visiting Niagara Falls, Quebec, and the New England States, visiting in all ten states on the trip. Mrs. Granger reports a very delightful time.

Attend the bake sale at Con-
neline's Grocery Saturday, held
by the Grangers.

Kenneth Hoesli, who is em-
ployed at Gladwin, was home
over the week end.

Ernest Olson of Detroit spent
a few days with his mother, Mrs.
N. P. Olson, this week.

Mrs. Mollie Bosworth of Lan-
sing spent the week end visiting
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B.
Johnson.

Yvonne and Lois Bradley re-
turned home after spending a
week in Boyne City visiting re-
latives and friends.

Mrs. Alex Mason and son Fred-
erick, of Detroit, spent the week
end at their summer home on
Lake Margrethe.

Mrs. John Holliday of St. Helen
and Mrs. Edward Knapp of Saginaw
were visitors at the Carl
Dorah home a couple of days
this week.

Mrs. Richard Babbitt of Maple
Forest is entertaining Miss Lillie
Cool, of LeRoy, Mich. The young
lady attended the 4-H club camp
held at Gaylord recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Burnham of
Lansing called on Grayling
friends over the week end. Mr.
Burnham was a former athletic
director of Grayling schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Mortenson
and Miss Jane Robbins returned
to Louisville, Ky., Tuesday after
enjoying Grayling and the sur-
roundings for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McFarland
and daughter, Beverly, of Flint,
returned home Sunday after
spending a week with Mrs. Mc-
Farland's aunt, Mrs. Roy Wolcott
and family.

F. J. Mills is spending two
weeks in Bloomington, Ill., where
he is holding evangelistic meet-
ings. On return he will stop in
Chicago to do some buying for
the Grayling Jewelry Shop.

Mrs. Victor Thelen and daugh-
ter, Barbara, who have been
visiting the former's mother, Mrs.
Thomas Cassidy, returned to
Grand Rapids, Sunday. Mr. The-
len came to accompany them home.

Harry Wright and daughter,
Miss Mary Jane, returned to their
home in Lansing Sunday after
spending the week end with Mrs.
Wright and her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Frank Peck.

Mr. and Mrs. Hillyard J. Har-
rison and son, Wesley, and Mr.
and Mrs. Maxwell Harrison of
Grand Cascapedia, Quebec, Can.,
visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry
Bradley and family for a week.

Mrs. Elmer Gamble and son
Arnold Steenrod, of Jackson, re-
turned Monday to their home in
Jackson after a week's visit with
her mother Mrs. Frank Beckman.
Mr. Beckman accompanied them
home for a visit.

Sister Mary Maura of Marie-
wood and Grand Rapids, who has
been visiting her sister Mrs. Jess
Bobemeyer, left Sunday night
for Albuquerque, New Mexico,
where she will act as principal
in one of the parochial schools.

Cards are being received from
Mrs. Fred Mutton, who with her
cousin Miss LeVerne Eastman of
Detroit, are visiting the latter's
sister Mrs. A. E. Crumm and
family, who now reside in Fort
Worth, Texas.

Mrs. James Olson and daugh-
ter June, of Grand Blanc, are
spending the week here visiting
her father Hans Petersen and
other relatives. They are guests
at the home of her sister, Mrs.
Earl Dawson.

Mrs. David White returned
Monday after a two week's visit
with relatives and friends in
Canada, Detroit, Flint, and Saginaw. She was accompanied home
by her son Leo Gendron and wife
from the latter place.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wolcott had
as guests over the week end, Miss
Clara Ingram and Don Towns, of
Flint, Miss Sarah Miller and
William and Jean Adams, of
Flint. The latter is remaining for
the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Owen of
Maple Forest had as guests
Thursday and Friday, Mr. and
Mrs. Frank Brown of Camden,
Mich. At present Emma Jean
Owen is entertaining Beverly
Hanson of Roscommon.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Walther
and Mrs. Alice LaMotte attended
the Arenac County Fair in Stand-
ish last week. Both ladies are
former residents of that city and
they enjoyed meeting many old
friends while they were there.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Nelson and
Mr. and Mrs. Holger D. Hanson
left Monday morning on a pleas-
ure trip, taking the northern
route through Wisconsin to Keokuk, Iowa, where they will visit
relatives of Mrs. Nelson. They
expect to be gone for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Trudo of
Auburn, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs.
Alva Roberts of Harbor Beach,
Mich., were in Grayling Tuesday
visiting the former's sister-in-
law Mrs. Harvey Vezina of Aton,
who is a patient at Mercy Hos-
pital. The Trudo family at one
time operated the local bakery
here and they enjoyed meeting
many old friends again.

Miss Edythe Shurtum of Rogers
City was a guest of Arthur May,
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hanson
made a business trip to Saginaw
Monday.

Vada Gordon is entertaining
her cousin Pat Gordon, of Pontiac,
for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Raymond
of Flint, were week end guests
of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sales.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Sherman
visited the former's brother, Mer-
rill Sherman and family in Man-
itowish, Sunday.

The Grangers are holding their
annual bake sale and contest at
Conneline's Grocery, Saturday. Be
sure to stop.

Kenneth Warren and John
Acker, of Jackson, visited Miss
Faye Wells and Miss Mary Mon-
tour, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Trudgeon
and Miss Beatrice Trudgeon, of
Lansing, visited Mr. and Mrs.
Roy Trudgeon, Sunday.

Neal McDaniels, of Pontiac, is
home visiting his family until he
is called back to work in Pontiac,
where he is employed.

Mrs. T. R. Welsh and Mr. and
Mrs. A. Bradshaw, of Reed City,
visited the former's son, Fred R.
Welsh and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Urvin Gibbon
and family from Madison, Ohio,
spent the latter part of the week
with Mr. Gibbon's father, Ed
Gibbon.

Miss Ila Welch, of the Betty
Mae Beauty Shoppe, left Wed-
nesday for a trip to Canada,
where she expects to visit the
Dionne babies.

Mrs. I. R. Lyons (Margaret
Jensen) of Grand Blanc visited
at the Adler Jorgenson home
Sunday, and made the rounds
calling on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Snyder
and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilcox
of Saginaw, were guests over
Sunday of the ladies' parents, Mr.
and Mrs. O. W. Hanson.

Mrs. Einer Rasmussen and her
family of three daughters and
four sons are enjoying the week
at one of the Gierke cabins on
the river. And of course visiting
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam
Gierke.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cox, of Iron
River, and Miss Grace O'Brien
of Milwaukee, Wis., visited at the
Emil Kraus home the latter part
of last week. The ladies are
nieces of Mrs. Kraus.

Lovells

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pocheion
spent a few days in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernhard Mundt
and family have returned to their
home in Saginaw after visiting
some time at the home of Joseph
Duby.

Mrs. Francis Nephew and
children, have returned to their
home after visiting Mr. Nephew's
sister, Mrs. Glen Gregg, of Kal-
kaska, for a week.

Lovells is having an addition
put on the town hall, which
makes it look very nice.

Mrs. Roy Small has been visit-
ing her brother in Alma.

J. W. Anderson of Detroit en-
tertained a party of friends at
the Anderson Lodge.

Sheriff Bennett of Grayling
was a caller in Lovells last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Nephew
and Francis Nephew spent the
week end at the home of Glen
Gregg, in Kalkaska.

William Pocheion of Detroit
spent a few days with his par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pocheion.

All of Lovells is saddened by
the sudden death of John Sur-
day. He spent most of his life
here and was liked by everyone.
He always had a smile for every-
one he met.

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News By Nosey

The past week down river
would seem more like the begin-
ning of the season than almost
the close. It looked as though
nearly everyone had guests, and
I heard of quite a few good
catches of trout as well.

Some of the guests have trav-
eled a long distance to be with us.
I stopped in at the Richards
cabin and found one very good
reason why Mrs. Richards is so
charming, and such a lovely host-
ess—her mother, Mrs. Frank G.
Crawley of Boston. Now that is
a long jump to the AuSable, and
Mrs. Crawley told me she
thought it was delightful up here.

She expects to be with Mr. and
Mrs. Richards all of this week.
Dr. and Mrs. Zimmer of Lapeer
were guests of the Richards.

Mrs. Crawley appears to be
very accomplished, as well as
charming, and is adding some of
her lovely needle-work, in the
way of a table spread, made of
Mona's cloth, which will be used
on Mrs. Richards' brand new
table. The table has the appear-
ance of being very old because
Dr. Zimmer knew just how to
make it look that way. As I
understand Dr. Zimmer used a
blowtorch to burn the wood,
which is very effective, and the
table adds just the right touch
in the dining room.

Sunday, Mrs. Richards had a
lovely center piece of black, or
possibly they were the choke
cherries, you see so many of
these along the trail roads now,
and they make a distinctive table
decoration, altho I had never
thought of using them in this
manner before.

The Richards are enjoying
their lovely new porch, and the
nicest part of it to me, is its
closeness to the river, almost
overlooking it. Mrs. Richards
has big easy chairs, and one
would think to step into the door
that the Richards had really lived
in the log cabin a long, long
time; things are so "homey" and
inviting.

They are planning more work
on the cabin—four bedrooms to
be made from the dormitory
above. I can easily understand
why these are needed, for such
a lovely place and charming
folks, are bound to have com-
pany.

"Whippoorwill" was lively over
the week end. Mr. and Mrs.
Frank Bromley drove up Friday,
and their guests Mr. and Mrs.
Clarence South of Bloomfield
Hills, arrived Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Booth were on
their way further north, and ex-
pected to stop at the "Snows."
The fact that they have one of

the loveliest places near Detroit,
does not stop them from enjoy-
ing the "simple life" as they call
it at Whippoorwill and Mr. Booth
lost no time in donning sweater
and walking shoes, to enter
into the spirit of woods and
river.

Mr. and Mrs. Bromley expect
other guests this week, Mr. and
Mrs. Graham, who visited Whip-
poorwill once before this season.

Chas. Trosien was evidently on
the entertainment committee last
week end; cars were driving in
and boats were stopping, making
him a very busy bachelor.

Jim and Jessie Baily couldn't
stay away very long, and their
cabin is occupied—part of the
time this week by Jim Junior
while he is busy on some work
near Kalkaska.

Jessie, her daughter Ruth, and
little granddaughter will be in
their cabin Wednesday, prior to
a drive they are planning north.
I remember Jessie planned to
take a trip once before this
season, but the river worked its
spell and she didn't get away—
maybe this time she will. How-
ever, Jessie did tell me she was
getting so she just took a terrible
dislike to persons who disliked
the river, so we are sure of an-
other real live booster for these
parts.

Persons who really appreciate
this country as those I have
mentioned this week, are the
kind we like to have. I know
there must be loads of others,
too, and it seems as tho more and
more are coming, and it appears
they are here to stay.

Patients who entered Mercy
Hospital this week are:
Robert Bruce Golinick, Edith
Peters, and Iris Madson, Gray-
ling.
Mabel Bennett, Nellie Bennett,
Stanley Kwapis and Joan Brown,
Gaylord.
Stewart Miller, Lansing.
Charles Swanson, Burdette
Payne, Otsego Lake.
William McPherson, Betty
Sampson, Baby Sampson, Hig-
gins Lake.
William Mitchell, Camp Luz-
erne.
Ada Wright, Vanderbilt.

Those dismissed from the hos-
pital were:
Helen Failing, Grayling.
Martin Sullivan, Moorestown.
Edward James Flett, Pruden-
ville.
Allan Ashley, Vanderbilt.
Verna Benson, Detroit.
Mary Konvicka, Roscommon.
Betty McKinstry, Milwaukee.

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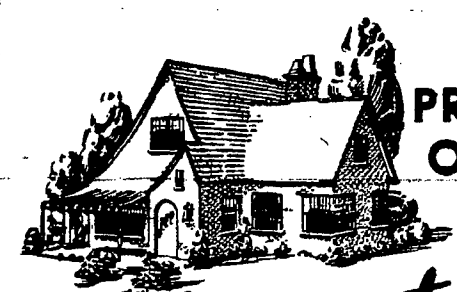
ROOMS AND HOUSES WANTED
—Either furnished or unfur-
nished. Desirable tenants. If you
have a house or rooms to rent,
please notify Chamber of Com-
merce, Phone 162. Or leave
word at Avalanche office.

FOR SALE—80 acre farm in
Maple Forest township. Good
soil, fair buildings, some stock
and farming tools. Offered at a
bargain. Poor health reason for
selling. Inquire or address Jay
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8-19-37

WANTED—Middle-aged woman to
cook at Sunset Villa, Hig-
gins Lake. Address Mrs. Emma
Haney, Sunset Villa, Higgins
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FOR SALE—Furnished cottage
and lot at Lake Margrethe. For
particulars inquire of O. P. Schu-
mann, Phone 111.

WANTED—Anyone having cot-
tages for rent, please notify
Grayling Chamber of Commerce.



PROPERTY OWNERS

No Interest or Penalties on Back Taxes IF YOU ACT NOW

According to Enrolled Act 28, passed by the Michigan Legislature in 1937

All 1933, 1934 delinquent State and County Taxes and special assessments, may be settled on this plan, during the month of August, 1937.

PROVIDED 1936 taxes are paid IN FULL,

Previous unpaid taxes for 1933, 1934, 1935 and moratorium payments due and unpaid in 1935 and 1936 may be paid on a TEN YEAR payment plan.

10% before September 1st, 1937 10% annually thereafter

NO INTEREST—NO PENALTIES

2% Collection charge on total tax paid is the only added charge.

Failure to pay these taxes, before September 1, 1937, automatically places properties on sale in May 1938, for taxes due, plus penalties and interest.



By Order:

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MAY CAN FRUITS WITHOUT SUGAR

Fruit canning in the midst of a bountiful Michigan harvest can be accomplished without the use of sugar until later use, but the fruit will not hold its color, shape or flavor as well.

This is an explanation prepared through the home economics extension service of Michigan State College.

Unsweetened canned fruit is useful in pie-making and also in the diet of persons who have diabetes. Juicy fruits should be canned in their own juices rather than with water, when no sugar is used.

The process is not difficult. A new wrinkle by those who have experimented with fruit canning is the idea of adding extra juice. Extract the juice from the riper fruits by crushing, heating and straining. Pack the remaining fruits closely into glass jars or tin cans without preheating and add enough boiling juice to cover. Partially seal the jars or exhaust and then seal tin cans.

A hot water bath is used then to process from 5 to 20 minutes depending on the density of the fruit. Another method is to pre-cook the fruit 2 to 4 minutes and then pour hot into containers, seal and process.

Less juicy fruits canned without sugar require water. These include apples, peaches and pears. Only the smallest amount of water necessary should be used, however, in order to keep the natural flavor of the fruit.

HUNTING LICENSE MUST BE PLAINLY LEGIBLE

The law has caught up with the deer hunters who smeared their license tags with mud or wore them upside down last fall.

A provision in the game bill which last year stated only that license tags be worn so as to be plainly "visible" has been corrected by the legislature. Deer hunters will be required by law this fall to wear their tags so as to be plainly "legible" as well as visible.

Friendly Encouragement

A friendly slap of encouragement on the shoulder, a little well-timed smile of approval, a cheerful look for a comrade when he slips—these are the inexpensive little things that get the important big results.

a vacation at the home of her mother, Mrs. C. McLeod.

R. Hanson and H. A. Bauman were in Mackinaw on business the forepart of the week.

Henry and Louis Joseph spent the week end down the river at the Seeley Wakeley resort.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Owen and little son are in Bay City visiting Mrs. Owen's parents.

Miss Carrie Johnson of Flint is a guest at the home of her aunt Mrs. Lars Rasmussen.

Mrs. Tillie Sparks of Illinois is visiting at the home of her brother, John Larson.

Miss Frances Preston accompanied her cousin Miss Margaret McKay to her home in Flint. The latter had been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Woodfield.

Health Officer Harrington made a thorough fumigation of the school buildings Monday and every room now is in good sanitary condition.

David R. Jones, chief deputy state game warden of Lansing, was a guest of Reuben Babbitt Sunday.

Holger Jensen of Valier, Mont., is a new bookkeeper at the R. Hanson & Sons office at T-Town.

Mr. Jensen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jens Jensen and graduated from school here.

Mrs. Olaf Michelson was hostess to a number of ladies Wednesday in honor of a few out-of-town guests. "500" was the entertainment.

Street Commissioner Julius has done a nice piece of road work on Michigan avenue and roads running past the baseball grounds. These are all finished with a crushed stone top dressing and make permanent and first class driveways.

In the recent primary, out of six candidates for sheriff on the republican ticket, William Cody had a 73 majority. Newton B. Goodard, democrat, received a majority of 22 over Theodore O'Dell. Edward S. Houghton, republican, for county treasurer, had no opposition. He will run against William Moshier, progressive, in the regular election. For prosecuting attorney, Dr. O. Palmer was nominated on the republican ticket and Glen Smith on the Democrat. John J. Niederer for County clerk in the recent election had the largest vote of any candidate on the ticket, and Allen B. Failing for Register of Deeds had the largest majority.

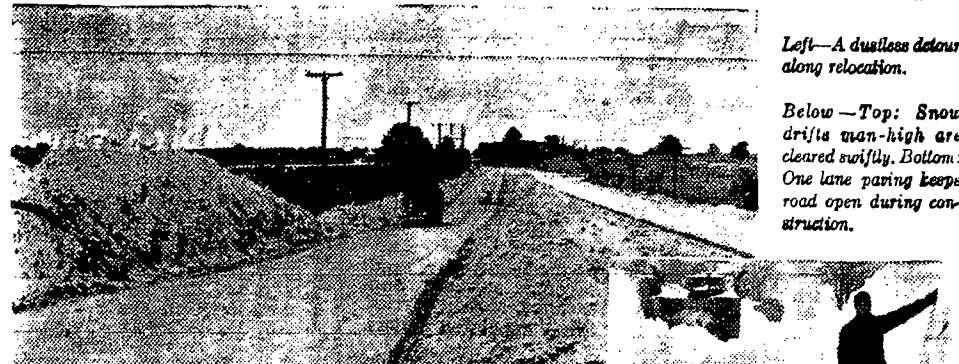
Beaver Creek (23 Years Ago)

Mr. Burton's new house is being repainted.

Miss Elsie Henry arrived Saturday to teach school for the coming year.

Miss Elsie Mortenson is home from Flint.

TRAFFIC MUST GO ON



Left—A dustless detour along relocation.

Below—Top: Snow drifts run-high are cleared swiftly. Bottom: One lane paving keeps road open during construction.

In this age of automobiles, highways play an important part in the life of almost everyone. Four families out of five have motor cars of their own and the nearly thirty million cars in use today are enough to take the entire population of the nation for a ride all at one time. Michigan, as the automobile state, is also one of the foremost leaders in highway development. Its Department of Highways is one of the largest and most important branches of the state government.

Highway users, both state residents and out-of-state visitors, have come to expect safe, well-kept roads and are quick to censure conditions that cause inconvenience or discomfort. Since a multitude of construction and maintenance operations are necessary to provide satisfactory facilities for the motorist, the state is faced with the problem of carrying on these operations in the most unobtrusive manner, with the least possible interruption or slowing up of traffic. Relocations, highway wide-

ning, bridge construction, grade separations, new surfacing, maintenance and patching of existing surfaces, dusting, snow removal and ice control—all must be accomplished with minimum inconvenience to highway users.

The Michigan State Highway Department takes advantage of every known agent that will expedite and simplify construction and maintenance operations. Before new construction is started, detours are carefully planned and, for the safety and comfort of motorists, are adequately treated with calcium chloride to eliminate dust. Construction operations, through the use of up-to-date machines and methods, progress at rapid pace and are completed in remarkably short lengths of time. Maintenance patching and blading is done at regular intervals, as needed, and with least possible inconvenience to traffic.

Moving vehicles rapidly accomplish the spreading of calcium chloride dustlayer, snow removal and application of ice control materials. Twenty-four hours a day, three hundred and sixty-five days a year, the highway department is on the job, exercising every bit of efficiency, industry and ingenuity it can command. All because traffic—a steadily increasing amount of it—must go on.

Pious Puritan Names

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The Southeast Diagonal of Section 33,

T 26 N. R. 2 W. 320 Acres

The Southeast Diagonal of Section 27,

T 26 N. R. 2 W. 320 Acres

All of Section 26, T 26 N. R. 2 W. 640 Acres

All of Section 25, T 26 N. R. 2 W. 640 Acres

All of Section 35, T 26 N. R. 2 W. 640 Acres

All of Section 9, T 25 N. R. 2 W. 640 Acres

The S½ of the NW¼ of Sec. 34, T 26 N.

R. 2 W. 80 Acres

The SE¼ of Sec. 4, T 25 N. R. 2 W. 160 Acres

The SW¼ of the NE¼, Sec. 34, T 26 N.

R. 2 W. 40 Acres

The N½ of NE¼, and the SE¼ of NE¼,

and W½ of SW¼, and the SE¼, all in

Section 34, T 26 N. R. 2 W. 360 Acres

The N½ of Section 36, T 26 N. R. 2 W. 320 Acres

The E½ of SE¼ of Section 36, T 26 N.

R. 2 W. 80 Acres

The SW¼ of Section 36, T 26 N. R. 2 W. 160 Acres

The E½ of E½ of Section 5, T 25 N. R.

2 W. 160 Acres

The W½ of SE¼ of Section 36, T 26

N. R. 2 W. 80 Acres

The N½ of Section 31, T 26 N. R. 1 W. 320 Acres

The SW¼ of Section 31, T 26 N. R. 1 W. 160 Acres

The N½ of SE¼ of Section 31, T 26 N.

R. 1 W. 80 Acres

The SW¼ of SE¼ of Section 31, T 26 N.

R. 1 W. 40 Acres

The E½ of SE¼ of Section 32, T 26 N.

R. 1 W. 80 Acres

The NW¼ of Section 32, T 26 N. R. 1 W. 160 Acres

The NW¼ of SE¼ of Section 32, T 26

N. R. 1 W. 40 Acres

The SE¼ of SW¼ and SW¼ of SE¼,

of Sec. 32, T 26 N. R. 1 W. 80 Acres

The SE¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 32, T 26 N.

R. 1 W. 40 Acres

The W½ of W½ of Sec. 33, T 26 N. R.

1 W. 160 Acres

The NE¼ of SW¼ of Sec. 33, T 26 N.

R. 1 W. 40 Acres

The W½ of NE¼ of Sec. 33, T 26 N.

R. 1 W. 80 Acres

The SE¼ of NW¼ of Sec. 33, T 26 N.

R. 1 W. 40 Acres

All of Section 3, T 25 N. R. 2 W. 640 Acres

All of Section 3, T 25 N. R. 2 W. 640 Acres

The S½ of Sec. 1, T 25 N. R. 2 W. 310 Acres

The NE¼ of Sec. 1, T 25 N. R. 2 W. 160 Acres

The NW¼ of Sec. 1, T 25 N. R. 2 W. 160 Acres

The S½ of Sec. 10, T 25 N. R. 2 W. 320 Acres

The NE¼ of Sec. 10, T 25 N. R. 2 W. 160 Acres

The NW¼ of Sec. 10, T 25 N. R. 2 W. 160 Acres

All of Section 11, T 25 N. R. 2 W. 640 Acres

The N½ of NW¼ of Sec. 12, T 25 N. R.

2 W. 80 Acres

The S½ of NW¼ of Sec. 12, T 25 N. R.

2 W. 80 Acres

The N½ of S½ of Sec. 12, T 25 N. R.

2 W. 160 Acres

The SE¼ of SE¼ of Sec. 12, T 25 N.

R. 2 W. 40 Acres

The S½ of SW¼ of Sec. 12, T 25 N.

R. 2 W. 80 Acres

The NE¼ of Sec. 12, T 25 N. R. 2 W. 160 Acres

The SW¼ of SE¼ of Sec. 12, T 25 N.

R. 2 W. 40 Acres

The N½ of N½ of Sec. 15, T 25 N. R.

2 W. 160 Acres

The S½ of NE¼ of Sec. 15, T 25 N. R.

2 W. 80 Acres

The W½ of SE¼ of Sec. 15, T 25 N. R.

2 W. 80 Acres

The W½ of Sec. 14, T 25 N. R. 2 W. 320 Acres

The SE¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 14, T 25 N.

R. 2 W. 40 Acres

The W½ of E½ of Sec. 14, T 25 N.

R. 2 W. 160 Acres

The NE¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 13, T 25 N. R.

2 W. 160 Acres

The SE¼ of Sec. 13, T 25 N. R. 2 W. 160 Acres

The SW¼ of Sec. 13, T 25 N. R. 2 W. 160 Acres

The E½ of NE¼ of Sec. 22, T 25 N. R.

2 W. 80 Acres

The NE¼ of SE¼ of Sec. 23, T 25 N.

R. 2 W. 40 Acres

The W½ of NW¼ of Sec. 23, T 25 N. R.

2 W. 80 Acres

The NE¼ of NW¼ of Sec. 23, T 25 N.

R. 2 W. 40 Acres

The W½ of Sec. 5, T 25 N. R. 1 W. 320 Acres

The NW¼ of Sec. 6, T 25 N. R. 1 W. 160 Acres

The SE¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 6, T 25 N.

R. 1 W. 40 Acres

The N½ of SW¼ of Sec. 6, T 25 N. R.

1 W. 80 Acres

The E½ of SE¼ of Sec. 6, T 25 N. R.

1 W. 80 Acres

The SW¼ of SW¼ of Sec. 6, T 25 N.

R. 1 W. 40 Acres

The SE¼ of SW¼ of Sec. 6, T 25 N. R.

1 W. 40 Acres

The W½ of Sec. 7, T 25 N. R. 1 W. 320 Acres

The NE¼ of SE¼ of Sec. 7, T 25 N.

R. 1 W. 40 Acres

The E½ of NE¼ of Sec. 7, T 25 N. R.

1 W. 80 Acres

The NW¼ of Sec. 8, T 25 N. R. 1 W. 160 Acres

The S½ of SE¼ of Sec. 8, T 25 N. R.

1 W. 80 Acres

The N½ of S½ of Sec. 8, T 25 N. R.

1 W. 160 Acres

The SW¼ of SW¼ of Sec. 8, T 25 N. R.

1 W. 40 Acres

All of Section 17, T 25 N. R. 1 W. 640 Acres

The SE¼ of Section 18, T 25 N. R. 1 W. 160 Acres

The N½ of NW¼ of Sec. 18, T 25 N.

R. 1 W. 80 Acres

The SE¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 18, T 25 N.

R. 1 W. 40 Acres

The S½ of SW¼ of Sec. 18, T 25 N.

R. 1 W. 80 Acres

The E½ part of S½ of SW¼ of Sec. 29,

T 26 N. R. 1 W. 80 Acres

(The following descriptions are included in the foregoing descriptions but are hereby exempted and deducted therefrom by way of correction thereof because of the fact that the mineral rights upon the following descriptions are owned by the State of Michigan, although the lands are owned by the Lessors:

The S½ of Sec. 26, T 26 N. R. 2 W. 320 Acres

The N½ of N½ of Sec. 36, T 26 N. R.

2 W. 160 Acres

The SW¼ of NW¼ of Sec. 36, T 26

N. R. 2 W. 40 Acres

The E½ of SE¼ of Sec. 36, T 26 N.

R. 2 W. 80 Acres

The NE¼ of Section 12, T 25 N. R. 2 W. 160 Acres

The SW¼ of Section 31, T 26 N. R. 1 W. 160 Acres

The NW¼ of Section 3, T 25 N. R. 1 W. 160 Acres

The N½ of SW¼ of Section 6, T 25 N.

R. 1 W. 80 Acres

The SW¼ of SW¼ of Section 6, T 25

N. R. 1 W. 40 Acres

The SE¼ of NE¼ of Section 6, T 25 N.

R. 1 W. 40 Acres

The NW¼ of Section 32, T 26 N. R. 1 W. 160 Acres

The SE¼ of SW¼ of Section 32, T 26

N. R. 1 W. 40 Acres

The SW¼ of SE¼ of Section 32, T 26

N. R. 1 W. 40 Acres

The S½ of SE¼ of Section 8, T 25 N.

R. 1 W. 80 Acres

The SE¼ of SW¼ of Section 8, T 25 N.

Annual Report Frederic Rural Agricultural School

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of Frederic Rural Agricultural School, Township of Frederic, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, that the Annual School Election for the election of school district officers and for the transaction of such other business as may lawfully come before it will be held at Frederic auditorium within said district on Monday, July 12, A. D. 1937, at 8 o'clock p. m., Eastern Standard Time.

Dated this 2nd day of July, 1937.

C. S. Barber, Sec.

Minutes of annual school meeting Frederic Rural Agricultural School, Crawford County, Mich., dated July 12, 1937. Minutes taken by C. S. Barber, address Frederic, Mich. Meeting called to order by President E. A. Corsaut.

Call of the meeting read.

Minutes of last meeting read. Secretary's financial report read.

Mrs. J. Tobin made motion that same be accepted as read. Sup. ported by Gilbert Cram. Yea and Nay vote called. Motion carried.

Percy Harmer and George Weinkauf were appointed tellers. Sworn in by N. Fisher, Justice of Peace.

Nominees for full term Trustee, Roy Newberry and J. Tobin. Total number of votes cast 73. James Tobin received 44, Roy Newberry 28, Blank 1. Jas. Tobin received majority votes cast. Declared elected.

Nominees for 3 year Trustee, O. Weaver, Ray Murphy. Total number votes cast 72. O. Weaver received 34, Ray Murphy 38. Ray Murphy received a majority votes cast. Declared elected.

It was left up to the Board whether we have 9 or 9 1/2 months of school.

Question was asked where we are going to deposit our school money. Mrs. Becca Tobin made motion we deposit school money in Grayling State Savings Bank. Supported by Bertie Wallace. Yea and Nay vote called. Motion carried.

There being no other business to come before said meeting it was moved and supported that we adjourn.

E. A. Corsaut, Chairman.
C. S. Barber, Secretary.

Date	Order No.	To Whom Paid	For What Purpose	Amt.
6-1-36	153	O. Charron, garage rent		5.00
6-1-36	158	Emil Niederer, coal		45.00
7-6-36	1	Herb Dodge, board meeting and salary		5.00
7-6-36	2	Chas. Craven, board meeting and salary		27.40
7-6-36	3	Sears Roebuck & Co., 120 rolls roofing		264.00
7-6-36	4	O. E. Charron, board meeting, salary, garage rent		12.50
7-6-36	5	Jas. Tobin, salary, board meeting, trips, stationery		88.88
7-6-36	6	C. S. Barber, salary, board meeting, and reports		59.00
7-9-36	7	Huri Deckrow, repair drain on gym		5.00
7-9-36	8	H. N. Dkrow, balance on salary, and board meeting		27.00
7-15-36	9	Bert Daymouth, labor on gym roof		3.60
7-30-36	10	Elroy Barber, labor on gym roof		2.40
7-30-36	11	A. Brott, labor on gym roof		7.40
7-30-36	12	Hanson Hardware, material		15.00
7-30-36	13	N. Fisher, labor as per bill		15.50
7-30-36	14	S. Barber, Foreman School Project		17.18
7-30-36	15	Floyd Taylor, labor on gym roof		2.00
7-30-36	16	Wm. Leng, labor and material		1.00
7-30-36	17	Wm. Beach, lumber		7.00
7-30-36	18	Grayling Box Co., 1 sack cement		52.35
9-1-36	19	Grayling State Bank, interest on note No. 2		8.00
9-1-36	20	Bessie Odell, 4 days cleaning school		8.00
9-1-36	21	Emma Vollmer, 4 days cleaning school		8.00
9-1-36	22	Singer Sewing Machine Co., 2 sewing machines		88.21
9-1-36	23	National Surety Co., premium, Treas. bonds		18.00
9-1-36	24	E. A. Corsaut, trips, board meeting as per bill		20.00
9-1-36	25	C. S. Barber, salary, per item bill		11.00
9-1-36	26	O. E. Charron, garage rent and board meeting		37.50
9-1-36	27	E. Roe, janitor		12.50
9-1-36	28	N. Fisher, bus driver		25.00
9-1-36	29	Paul Crawford, bus driver		25.00
9-1-36	30	Byron Lawes, Otsego Feeder Route		9.00
9-1-36	31	Roy Newberry, NW Feeder Route		6.75
9-1-36	32	John Selley, Lovells Feeder Route		9.00
9-1-36	33	Dohn Weaver, SW Feeder Route		9.00
9-1-36	34	Crawford Avalanche, publishing Annual Report		49.75
9-1-36	35	Wm. Leng, labor and material		10.47
9-1-36	36	Wm. Beach, labor		46.00
9-1-36	37	Lyle Dunckley, 3 cords pine wood		10.50
9-1-36	38	Wm. Cox, labor		2.25
9-1-36	39	N. Fisher, labor		3.50
9-1-36	40	C. Lee Crandell, trips and board meeting		12.00
9-1-36	41	Harry Higgins, bus gas		9.79
9-25-36	42	Grayling State Bank, P. H. McGill Land Co.		4.50
9-30-36	43	Brown Ward Co., 58 tons coal and freight		35.77
10-2-36	44	N. Fisher, bus driver		25.00
10-2-36	45	Paul Crawford, bus driver		25.00
10-2-36	46	Byron Lawes, Otsego Feeder Route		10.00
10-2-36	47	Roy Newberry, NW Feeder Route		7.50
10-2-36	48	John Selley, Lovells Feeder Route		10.00
10-2-36	49	Dohn Weaver, SW Feeder Route		10.00
10-2-36	50	E. Roe, janitor		25.00
10-2-36	51	Wm. Leng, gas, labor and material		24.88
10-2-36	52	Chas. Craven, 1 board meeting		1.00
10-2-36	53	H. N. Dodge, 1 board meeting		1.00
10-2-36	54	W. E. Meyer, sub. to East City Times		1.00
10-2-36	55	Henry Laughton, unloading 58 tons coal		40.60
10-2-36	56	Otis Weaver, cleaning cesspool		65.00
10-2-36	57	N. Fisher, hauling seats		2.00
10-2-36	58	Paul Crawford, hauling seats		2.00
10-2-36	59	E. A. Corsaut, trips and board meeting		6.50
10-2-36	60	Wm. Leng, premium on bus insurance		105.17
10-13-36	61	T. E. Douglas Est., bus gas and oil		32.74
10-13-36	62	E. Roe, janitor		30.00
10-29-36	63	Pyrex Pyrex, Co., refill extinguishers		39.95
10-29-36	64	C. S. Barber, salary and board meeting		15.00
10-30-36	65	N. Fisher, bus driver		50.00
10-30-36	66	Paul Crawford, bus driver		50.00
10-30-36	67	Byron Lawes, Otsego Feeder Route		20.00
10-30-36	68	Roy Newberry, NW Feeder Route		15.00
10-30-36	69	John Selley, Lovells Feeder Route		20.00
10-30-36	70	Dohn Weaver, SW Feeder Route		20.00
10-30-36	71	E. Roe, janitor		30.00
10-30-36	72	T. E. Douglas Est., gas and oil		23.18
11-1-36	73	Wm. Leng, lights and power		35.02
11-1-36	74	Grayling Machine Shop, material and labor		72.45
11-1-36	75	Wm. Leng, labor and material on bus		23.08
11-1-36	76	O. E. Charron, salary and board meeting		19.50
11-1-36	77	Lee Crandell, 4 board meetings		8.97
11-1-36	78	Aeme Chemical Co., supplies		99.65
11-1-36	79	Amos Hoelsi, gas and oil		13.43
11-21-36	80	Pinnack Oil Co., gas and oil		14.23
11-27-36	81	N. Fisher, bus driver		50.00
11-27-36	82	Paul Crawford, bus driver		46.00
11-27-36	83	John Selley, Lovells Feeder Line		16.00
11-27-36	84	Byron Lawes, Otsego Feeder Line		18.00
11-27-36	85	Dohn Weaver, SW Feeder Line		16.00
11-27-36	86	Roy Newberry, NW Feeder Line		12.00
12-2-36	87	Grayling State Bank, note on bus		768.48
12-2-36	88	E. D. Melroy, bus gas		9.80
12-2-36	89	E. Roe, janitor		8.00
12-2-36	90	Wm. Leng, bus gas		9.38
12-2-36	91	T. E. Douglas Est., bus gas		19.03
12-2-36	92	Wm. Beach, labor and material		3.63
12-2-36	93	Alexander Lumber Co., material		18.86
12-2-36	94	Ganson Hardware, material		8.85
12-2-36	95	Groebert, 5c 10c Store, dishes		8.97
12-2-36	96	Jas. Tobin, trips and board meeting		28.50
12-2-36	97	J. M. Brodie, hardware		80.47
12-2-36	98	C. S. Barber, salary and board meeting		8.00
12-2-36	99	E. A. Corsaut, board meetings		4.00
12-2-36	100	Earl Wallace, painting belfry		15.50
12-2-36	101	A. D. Leng, material, item bill		17.68
12-2-36	102	Wm. Leng, light, power and labor		28.53
12-2-36	103	N. Fisher, bus driver		50.00
12-2-36	104	Paul Crawford, bus driver		45.00
12-2-36	105	John Selley, Lovells Feeder Line		18.00
12-2-36	106	Byron Lawes, Otsego Feeder Line		18.00
12-2-36	107	Roy Newberry, NW Feeder Line		13.50
12-2-36	108	Dohn Weaver, SW Feeder Line		17.00
12-2-36	109	Martha Douglas, gas and oil		34.64
1-6-37	110	Wm. Leng, gas and oil, and balance on bill		32.15
1-6-37	111	Wm. Leng, lights and power		34.25
1-6-37	112	Harry Higgins, merchandise		5.85
1-6-37	113	E. Roe, janitor		60.00
1-6-37	114	A. D. Leng, supplies		17.41
1-6-37	115	A. D. Leng, bus and gas		8.83
1-6-37	116	Alfred Hanson, grease job		1.00
1-21-37	117	Reva Gerrie, half payment on typewriter		90.00
1-21-37	118	T. E. Douglas Est., gas and oil		19.35
1-21-37	119	N. Fisher, bus driver		37.50
1-21-37	120	Paul Crawford, bus driver		40.00
1-21-37	121	Byron Lawes, Otsego Lake Feeder Route		22.50
1-21-37	122	John Selley, Lovells Feeder Route		15.00
1-21-37	123	Sim J. Lewis, Frederic SW Feeder Route		15.00

1-22-37	124	Roy Newberry, Frederic NW Route	11.25
1-22-37	125	E. Roe, janitor	60.00
1-30-37	126	T. E. Douglas Est., gas and oil	19.22
2-2-37	127	Wm. Leng, labor and material, Lovells bus	24.50
2-2-37	128	Wm. Leng, lights and power	39.14
2-2-37	129	A. D. Leng, supplies itemized	17.63
2-2-37	131	A. D. Leng, Home Economics Class	8.54
2-2-37	132	C. S. Barber, salary and board meeting	12.00
2-2-37	133	Brown Ward Co., 53 tons coal and freight	334.72
2-2-37	134	M. F. Nellist, attorney fee	25.00
2-2-37	135	Frank Virgil, bus gas	18.86
2-2-37	136	A. D. Leng, bus gas	9.44
2-2-37	137	E. A. Corsaut, trips and board meeting	9.00
2-2-37	138	Amos Hoelsi, bus gas	18.03
2-17-37	139	James Tobin, salary, board meeting, trips	25.00
2-17-37	140	O. E. Charron, salary, board meeting, trips	7.50
2-17-37	141	C. Lee Crandell, salary, board meeting, trips	50.00
2-17-37	142	N. Fisher, bus driver	50.00
2-19-37	143	Paul Crawford, bus driver	50.00
2-19-37	144	Byron Lawes, Otsego Feeder Line	30.00
2-19-37	145	John Selley, Lovells Feeder Line	20.00
2-19-37	146	Roy Newberry, Frederic Feeder Line	15.00
2-19-37	147	Lyle Dunckley, Frederic Feeder Line	18.00
2-19-37	148	Erve Roe, janitor	60.00
2-19-37	149	Grayling State Bank, interest on No. 2 bus note	29.68
3-9-37	150	T. E. Douglas, bus gas and oil	37.15
3-9-37	151	A. D. Leng, supplies itemized bill	2.94
3-9-37	152	A. D. Leng, Home Economics	13.11
3-9-37	153	A. D. Leng, bus gas	18.62
3-9-37	154	The J. H. Shults Co., supplies	2.35
3-9-37	155	Wm. Leng, lights and power	30.18
3-9-37	156	Wm. Leng, gas and oil	22.09
3-9-37	157	Grayling Machine Shop, supplies and labor	12.80
3-9-37	158	C. S. Barber, salary and board meeting	9.00
3-9-37	159	O. E. Charron, salary and board meeting	3.00
3-9-37	160	Wm. Leng, supplies and labor, itemized	30.55
3-19-37	161	N. Fisher, bus driver	50.00
3-19-37	162	Paul Crawford, bus driver	50.00
3-19-37	163	Byron Lawes, Otsego Feeder Route	32.50
3-19-37	164	John Selley, Lovells Feeder Route	42.84
3-19-37	165	Lyle Dunckley, Frederic Feeder Route	20.00
3-19-37	166	Roy Newberry, Frederic Feeder Route	15.00
3-19-37	167	Erve Roe, janitor	60.00
4-7-37	168	Frank Virgil, bus gas	26.51
4-7-37	169	Wm. Leng, bus gas and oil	20.40
4-7-37	170	Wm. Leng, supplies and labor	15.02
4-7-37	171	Wm. Leng, lights and power	25.39
4-7-37	172	T. E. Douglas Est., gas and oil	53.71
4-7-37	173	C. Lee Crandell, board meeting and salary	9.67
4-7-37	174	E. A. Corsaut, board meeting and salary	12.00
4-15-37	175	Northern Auto Co., repair on Lewis car	9.91
4-16-37	176	N. Fisher, bus driver	50.00
4-16-37	177	Paul Crawford, bus driver	50.00
4-16-37	178	Byron Lawes, Otsego Feeder Route	30.00
4-16-37	179	John Selley, Lovells Feeder Route	20.00
4-16-37	180	Lyle Dunckley, SW Feeder Route	20.00
4-16-37	181	Roy Newberry, NW Feeder Route	15.00
4-16-37	182	Erve Roe, janitor	80.00
5-3-37	183	Ace D. Leng, bus gas	18.34
5-3-37	184	Ace D. Leng, supplies, itemized	8.78
5-3-37	185	M. F. Nellist, legal service	20.00
5-3-37	186	Wm. Leng, lights and power	20.96
5-3-37	187	Wm. Leng, supplies and labor	18.04
5-3-37	188	Frank Virgil, bus gas	12.61
5-3-37	189	Wm. Johnson, repairing and tuning piano	8.50
5-3-37	190	C. S. Barber, board meeting and salary	20.00
5-3-37	191	Amos Hoelsi, bus gas	2.65
5-3-37	192	T. E. Douglas, bus gas and oil	48.47
5-3-37	193	Ronnov Hanson, recording deed	1.25
5-3-37	194	Chas. Horton, Senior expenses	23.00
5-3-37	195	Grayling State Bank, int. and renewal on note	15.08
5-3-37	196	Department of Conservation, deed	1.00
5-8-37	197	Clare Melroy, bus gas	15.40
5-14-37	198	N. Fisher, bus driver	50.00
5-14-37	199	Paul Crawford, bus driver	50.00
5-14-37	200	E. Roe, janitor	60.00
5-14-37	201	L. Dunckley, SW Frederic Feeder Route	20.00
5-14-37	202	Byron Lawes, Otsego Feeder Route	80.00
5-14-37	203	John Selley, Lovells Feeder Route	20.00
5-14-37	204	Roy Newberry, Frederic NW Feeder Route	15.00
5-31-37	205	N. Fisher, bus driver	27.50
5-31-37	206	Paul Crawford, bus driver	27.50
5-31-37	207	John Selley, Lovells Feeder Route	10.00
5-31-37	208	L. Dunckley, Frederic SW Feeder Route	11.00
5-31-37	209	Roy Newberry, Frederic NW Feeder Route	7.50
5-31-37	210	Byron Lawes, Otsego Feeder Route	15.00
5-31-37	211	W. M. Welch Mfg., diplomas	15.45
5-31-37	212	N. Fisher, labor and gas	5.00
5-31-37	213	A. D. Leng, supplies	7.82
5-31-37	214	A. D. Leng, Home Economics	6.21
5-31-37	215	C. S. Barber, board meeting, salary and census	24.00
5-31-37	216	Wm. Leng, labor and supplies	4.75
5-31-37	217	Allen Schurer, speech	15.00
5-31-37	218	W. J. Flory, sermon	5.00
5-31-37	219	Reva Gerrie, balance on typewriter	90.00
6-5-37	220	T. E. Douglas Est., gas and oil	42.94
6-5-37	221	Wm. Leng, light and power	15.55
6-5-37	222	Harry Higgins, bus gas and oil	22.80
Teachers Wages			
Date	Order No.	To Whom Paid For What Purpose	Amount
9-18-36	1	Sim J. Lewis, Superintendent	\$ 79.00
9-18-36	2	Wm. Beach, Principal	52.00
9-18-36	3	Helen Brooks, science	45.00
9-18-36	4	Mary Craig, music	37.50
9-18-36	5	Sarah Smith, primary	45.00
9-18-36	6	Ruth Caid, intermediate	32.50
9-18-36	7	Beatrice Johnson, 5 & 6 grade	37.50
9-18-36	8	Sim J. Lewis, back salary	400.00
10-2-36	9	Sim J. Lewis, Superintendent	79.00
10-2-36	10	Wm. Beach, Principal	52.00
10-2-36	11	Helen Brooks, science	45.00
10-2-36	12	Mary Craig, music	37.50
10-2-36	13	Ruth Caid, intermediate	32.50
10-2-36	14	Beatrice Johnson, 5 & 6 grade	37.50
10-2-36	15	Sarah Smith, primary	37.50
10-30-36	16	Sim J. Lewis, Superintendent	158.00
10-30-36	17	Wm. Beach, Principal	104.00
10-30-36	18	Helen Brooks, science	90.00
10-30-36	19	Mary Craig, music	90.00
10-30-36	20	Ruth Caid, intermediate	75.00
10-30-36	21	Beatrice Johnson, 5 & 6 grade	75.00
10-30-36	22	Sarah Smith, primary	75.00
11-27-36	23	Sim J. Lewis, Superintendent	158.00
11-27-36	24	Wm. Beach, Principal	104.00
11-27-36	25	Helen Brooks, science	90.00
11-27-36	26	Mary Craig, music	80.00
11-27-36	27	Ruth Caid, intermediate	75.00
11-27-36	28	Beatrice Johnson, 5 & 6 grade	75.00
11-27-36	29	Sarah Smith, primary	75.00
12-25-36	30	Sim J. Lewis, Superintendent	158.00
12-25-36	31	Wm. Beach, Principal	104.00
12-25-36	32	Helen Brooks, science	90.00
12-25-36	33	Mary Craig, music	90.00
12-25-36	34	Ruth Caid, intermediate	75.00
12-25-36	35	Beatrice Johnson, 5 & 6 grade	75.00
12-25-36	36	Sarah Smith, primary	75.00
1-22-37	37	Sim J. Lewis, Superintendent	158.00
1-22-37	38	Wm. Beach, Principal	104.00
1-22-37	39	Helen Brooks, science	90.00
1-22-37	40	Mary Craig, music	90.00
1-22-37	41	Ruth Caid, intermediate	75.00
1-22-37	42	Beatrice Johnson, 5 & 6 grade	75.00
1-22-37	43	Sarah Smith, primary	75.00
2-19-37	44	Sim J. Lewis, Superintendent	158.00
2-19-37	45	Helen Brooks, science	90.00
2-19-37	46	Mary Craig, music	90.00
2-19-37	47	Wm. Beach, Principal	104.00
2-19-37	48	Ruth Caid, intermediate	75.00
2-19-37	49	Beatrice Johnson, 5 & 6 grade	75.00
2-19-37	50	Sarah Smith, primary	75.00
2-19-37	51	Sim J. Lewis, Superintendent	158.00
3-19-37	52	Wm. Beach, Principal	104.00
3-19-37	53	Helen Brooks, science	90.00
3-19-37	54	Mary Craig, music	90.00
3-19-37	55	Ruth Caid, intermediate	75.00
3-19-37	56	Beatrice Johnson, 5 & 6 grade	75.00
3-19-37	57	Sarah Smith, primary	75.00
4-16-37	58	Sim J. Lewis, Superintendent, Retirement \$30.00	128.00
4-16-37	59	Wm. Beach, Principal, Retirement \$20.00	84.00
4-16-37	60	Helen Brooks, science, Retirement \$8.55	81.45
4-16-37	61	Mary Craig, music, Retirement \$8.55	81.45
4-16-37	62	Sarah Smith, primary, Retirement \$7.18	87.82
4-16-37	63	Ruth Caid, intermediate, Retirement \$14.25	60.75
4-16-37	64	Beatrice Johnson, 5 & 6 grade, Retirement \$14.25	60.75
4-16-37	65	Teachers Retirement Funds deducted salary	102.75
5-14-37	66	Sim J. Lewis, Superintendent	158.00
5-14-37	67	Wm. Beach, Principal	104.00
5-14-37	68	Helen Brooks, science	90.00
5-14-37	69	Mary Craig, music	90.00
5-14-37	70	Ruth Caid, intermediate	75.00
5-14-37	71	Beatrice Johnson, 5 & 6 grade	75.00
5-14-37	72	Sarah Smith, primary	75.00
5-14-37	73	Sim J. Lewis, Superintendent	158.00
5-28-37	74	Wm. Beach, Principal	64.00
5-28-37	75	Helen Brooks, science	45.00
5-28-37	76	Beatrice Johnson, 5 & 6 grade	45.00

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LOCALS

THURSDAY, AUGUST 26, 1937

Mrs. Stanley Bayon is assisting as clerk at the Grayling Bakery.

Mrs. Hans Petersen is entertaining the Danish Ladies Aid society at her home this afternoon.

Mrs. Lloyd Gierke had the misfortune to fall at her home recently and break a bone in an ankle.

Mrs. Andrew Peterson entertained a company of ladies at coffee at her home Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Peterson's daughters, Mrs. B. M. Short and Miss Emma Peterson of Detroit were at home on a visit and assisted in welcoming the guests.

Seventeen boys and girls were guests of Annabelle Straehly Tuesday afternoon to help her celebrate her ninth birthday. Flowers and a lovely birthday cake holding the required number of candles made the lunch table very attractive.

At the annual Lumbermen's picnic held at Edenville Wednesday, Oliver Lovell, Middle LaMotte, Archie Kennedy and Harvey Lewis were chartered to cook a regular old-fashioned lumberjack feed to be served to guests during the day.

Current rumor is that there will be hunting in the Hartwick Pines park next fall. This, says Mr. Lark, park superintendent, is not true. The original park containing 8,000 acres, is closed to hunting. Boundaries are carefully indicated so that there is no excuse for anyone to trespass for the purpose of hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. George Land of Kalamazoo announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Georgiana to Mr. Wayne Moorlag on July 31st in that city. Mrs. Moorlag is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. George McCullough and was born in Grayling. She has hosts of young friends who extend congratulations and best wishes.

See our bargain rack of Ladies Shoes at \$1.95. Values up to \$6.00—Grayling Mercantile Co.

Sunday was the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Harold Rasmussen and several friends dropped in that evening to extend felicitations and spend the evening.

Mrs. Margaret Husted, mother of Mrs. T. E. Douglas, and Mrs. Clarence Stillwagon, of Lovells, celebrated her 84th birthday at her home in West Branch on August 20th with five generations of her family at her birthday party. Mrs. Husted, who has resided in Ogema county for 52 years, has been a frequent visitor in Lovells, and her many friends there extend felicitations.

Railroad men and others in Grayling regret the passing of Michael Costello in Bay City, Friday. Mr. Costello who died at St. Mary's hospital following a three-day illness of pneumonia, had long been an employee on the M. C. R. R. and spent a lot of time in Grayling between runs. Just recently he received his first pension check, having reached the required age after years of faithful service.

Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Wolf entertained Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Johnston of Kansas City. The gentlemen spent the day fishing on the main stream. This was the first time Mr. Johnston had had the pleasure of casting on the famous trout stream and he was delighted. At noon the ladies joined the men in a picnic lunch at the Ernest Babbitt landing. Mr. Johnston is president of the Kansas City and Southern Railway.

The Hartwick Pines park is proving every day its attraction to the public. People come there from many states besides from Michigan and almost any day license tags from a dozen or more states may be seen parked near the Pines. The daily average of attendance is about 500. Last Sunday over 1,500 people visited the park. Already over 50,000 visitors have been registered this season. And people never tire going there. Here is an attraction that everyone who can possibly do so should see.

Sale of \$2.95 to \$6.00 Ladies Shoes for \$1.95. Come early.—Grayling Mercantile Co.

Floyd Loskos, who is an enrollee at a CCC camp at the Soo, has been promoted to senior foreman at the camp.

New Fall Nelly Don toggery and the Fall display of lingerie and hostery can now be purchased at the Maureen Shoppe.

The opening and closing hours of the local Liquor Store were changed beginning Tuesday. The hours daily are from 9:00 a. m. to 8:00 p. m. except Saturday when the store is open until 9:00 p. m.

As a reward for their Achievement acquired during the past year the following boys and girls of Crawford county attended the 4-H Club camp—Camp Gay-Gug-Lun at Gaylord August 9 to 14: Patricia Hewitt, Beatrice Newberry, Emma Jean and Robert Owen, Leon Johnston, Laura Horning.

Next Sunday is the last day that Rev. Hans Juhl will occupy the pulpit at Danish-Lutheran church, after being its pastor for the past five years. In the evening that day the members of the congregation will meet at the Danebod hall to bid the Reverend and Mrs. Juhl farewell. They will be leaving about September 1st for Hampton, Iowa.

As Rev. and Mrs. Hans Juhl will soon be leaving Grayling, the members of the choir of the Danish-Lutheran church, met at the cottage of Mrs. Samuel Rasmussen at Lake Margrethe Thursday evening complimenting Mrs. Juhl. The evening was spent informally and the guest of honor presented with a nice gift of remembrance.

In reporting the names of the special committee appointed by President Wright of the Chamber of Commerce to act on the matter relative to the upkeep of the cemeteries, Al Roberts was appointed chairman instead of Chas. Moore, as reported in the Avalanche last week. The other members of the committee are Mrs. Daisy Barnett and Mrs. Fred Welsh.

Thursday night there was a community weenie roast at the E. F. Jewell farm home in Maple Forest to celebrate the August birthdays. There were about fifty present. Dick Owen who was the youngest to celebrate his birthday, which was the sixth one, was surprised with a nice birthday cake holding 6 candles. We think this community birthday idea a fine one.

The paving work being done on U.S. 27 south of Houghton lake has been finished and opened for use. M. J. Loughray, Roscommon county state highway maintenance superintendent, says that he has been assured that the short strips of gravel still remaining on this highway from the end of the present pavement will be hard surfaced to Houghton Lake village and to The Heights yet this summer.

Wm. Fairbotham of Beaver Creek township boasts of having the finest quality of green corn that money can buy. To prove it he brot in a half dozen ears and they certainly were delicious. Every ear was of good size and the rows and kernels well filled out and tender and juicy. He says that he is supplying some of our local stores every day. We suggest that you ask for Fairbotham's green-corn.

Superintendent and Mrs. Gerald Poor returned home Monday evening to be on hand for the opening of school Sept. 7th. Mr. Poor attended summer school at the U. of M. this year and received a very fine compliment while there, when he was invited to join the National Honorary Educational Fraternity "Phi Delta Kappa." Members for Phi Delta Kappa are selected on the basis of scholarship and recognition of contributions to education; and Mr. Poor was one of thirty-five to be chosen this year.

Twelve Masonic lodges of this part of Michigan have been ordered to attend a school of instruction to be held in Rose City next Friday evening, at which time the grand lodge officers will be in attendance. It is expected Grayling lodge will be represented by its officers—Ernest Larsen, W. M.; Charles Moore, S. W.; Jesse Sales, J. W.; Earl Koivenen, S. D.; George Burrows, J. D.; George Schaible, secretary; George Olson, treasurer; Floyd Taylor, tyler; and by other members of the Lodge. Those who are planning on going are asked to be at the hall at 1:00 o'clock Friday afternoon.

Miss Violet Williams and Mr. Franklin Case were united in marriage August 18 at the Congregational Church in Gaylord. Mrs. Case is a former employee of "The Grayling Restaurant" and Mr. Case is cook for that establishment at present. The newlyweds will make their home in one of the Foley Apartments. To compliment the bride the Misses Donna and Norma Griffith entertained with a shower Tuesday evening at their home. The bride received many lovely gifts as well as best wishes from the young couple's many friends.

Harry Reynolds is giving his home a fresh coat of paint.

Charles Moore and Wm. Hill left Wednesday on a business trip to Detroit. They were accompanied by Mrs. Moore and daughter, Gloria, who went on to Pittsburgh, Pa., to visit the former's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. John Carlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Earl Smith of Detroit have announced the marriage of their daughter Joyce Marcia, to Mr. Earl McInnis, the marriage taking place Sunday, August 22nd in Detroit. Mr. Smith is a former superintendent of Grayling Schools and the family made many friends while here. To Mr. and Mrs. McInnis Grayling people extend congratulations and very best wishes.

For their regular monthly social gathering the City firemen and their wives were entertained at the Ernest Lovell home Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Lovell assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Robert LaMotte as hosts. There were some 30 present and cards were enjoyed with lunch served later in the evening. These parties that are held once each month are very pleasant affairs.

Dr. and Mrs. Preston Bradley, and son James of Chicago, called on Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Clippert Sunday. Dr. Bradley is pastor of the People's Church of Chicago. Very soon he will fly to Hollywood to perform the marriage ceremony for Charles Carrell, Andy of the famous Amos and Andy radio team, and Alyce McLaughlin, "Madame Queen," former adagio dancer. The marriage will take place September 11. Dr. Bradley is a second cousin of Mrs. Clippert and holds the distinction of being the national president Emeritus of the Isaac Walton League.

The Grayling Boy Scouts enjoyed an overnight trip Wednesday at the former Pines CCC camp. Eleven scouts, including Robert Heribson, Frank Jensen, Esbern Olson, Jr., Billy Bolinger, Dick Rasmussen, Laurence Cady, Edward Martin, Edward Sorenson, Clarence Hoesli, Carl Henry Nelson, Alfred Hanson, and Clayton Gorman, took part in the camp fire activity, which included songs, stories and a drum demonstration given by Mr. Max Laage, caretaker of the camp. The boys were accompanied by Mr. Harley Russell and Mr. Earl R. Cristman, Field Executive, and his son Robert of Bay City.

Mrs. M. A. Bates returned to Grayling Monday, after spending several months in the Philippine Islands with her son, Capt. R. E. Bates. The latter and his new bride arrived here with Mrs. Bates and spent a couple of days seeing friends. Wednesday they left for Lansing where Mrs. Bates will spend two weeks before returning to Grayling and Capt. and Mrs. R. E. Bates will visit relatives in Lansing, Grand Rapids, and Pontiac before leaving for Logan, Utah, where the former will report for duty with the R.O.T.C. at Utah State College. Mrs. M. A. Bates has been missed by her many friends here and they will be happy when she returns home to remain.

RA Offices Are Consolidated In Mich.

The Resettlement Administration's Rural Rehabilitation offices in Roscommon, Crawford, and Antrim counties, formerly located at Roscommon and Bellaire, have been merged with the Otsego County office and the supervision of loans will be taken over by Mr. Byron L. Braamse, former Otsego County Supervisor. His office is located in the Cook Building at Gaylord, Michigan.

Mr. Roswell G. Carr, the Resettlement Administration's State Director of Rural Rehabilitation, in commenting on the changes, stated that this step will affect considerable savings in administrative costs during the coming year but will not seriously hamper the assistance now being rendered to needy low-income farm families in Michigan.

Because of the recent depression and droughts, nearly 10,000 farmers in Michigan who were having difficulty in obtaining and maintaining credit from the regular sources were provided financial aid through the Rural Rehabilitation Division.

Since the inception of the Rural Rehabilitation work in July, 1934, 161 farmers in these counties have borrowed funds for a five-year period with which to purchase livestock, feed, and equipment. "Emergency" loans with which to purchase feed were also made in designated "drought" counties during 1934 and 1935.

Farmers in this area who have received Rural Rehabilitation loans will be able to contact Mr. Braamse at Gaylord, but because of the larger territory to be served by his office in the future, it is anticipated that many farmers will wish to make their loan repayments by mail. "This applies especially to those living at some distance from the office," Mr. Braamse said, "and we are prepared to accept any remittances received in this manner."

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Ladies Golf Club

The tournament which was to be held between Traverse City and Grayling at the Traverse City Club had to be called off. However, Miss Georgianna Olson, Mrs. Wm. H. Hill, Miss Elizabeth Matson and Mrs. Esbern Olson spent the day there enjoying the course.

The Ladies Championship tournament of the Grayling Golf club began this week. A complete report will appear next week.

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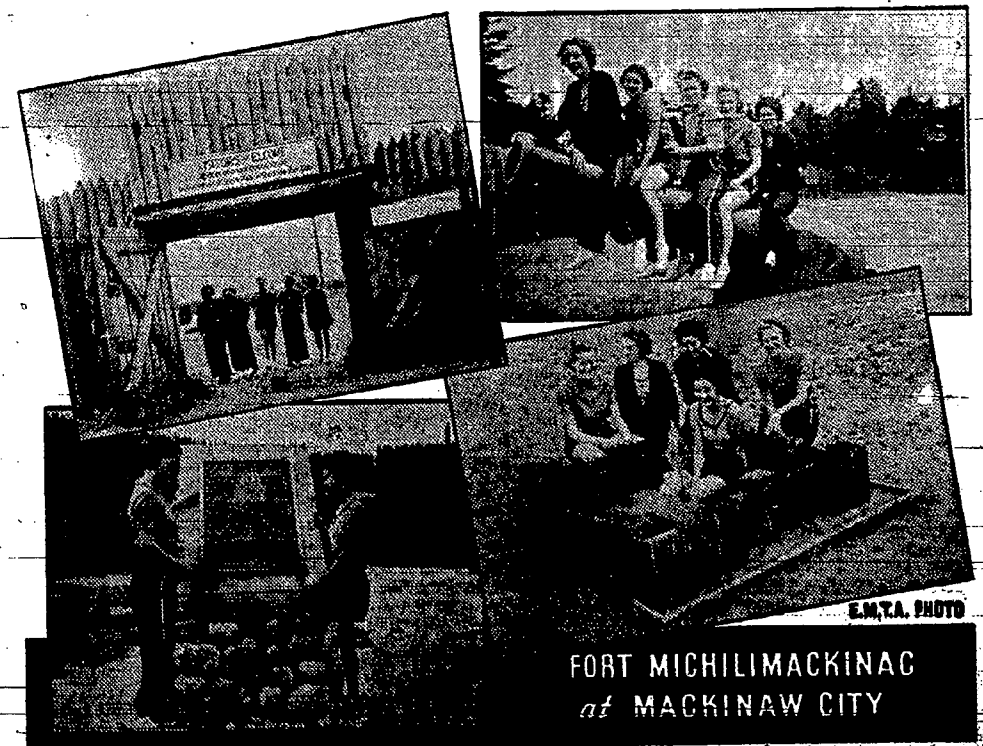
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State To Auction Drilling Privileges

Oil operators will be able to bid for the legal drilling privileges on nearly 40,000 acres of state-owned land when an auction of state held lease-rights is conducted in Lansing, Friday, Sept. 3.

All of the land is known as wildcat territory and more than half of it is in Roscommon county, the remainder in seven other north-central counties.

Acres on which the state would lease the oil and gas rights on a rental-royalty basis at the September auction are as follows: Arenac county, 3,440 acres; Bay county, 571 acres; Clare, 80 acres; Crawford 640 acres; Gladwin, 8,640 acres; Midland, 360 acres; Otsego, 2,720 acres; Roscommon, 20,760 acres.

Public Opinion

August 25, 1937

Mr. O. P. Schumann
Editor, Crawford Avalanche
Grayling, Michigan

To criticize seems so easy—to express appreciation where deserved seems to be one thing that we are inclined to overlook. I wish to take this opportunity to express my personal appreciation to the Rube Babbitt Chapter of the Izaak Walton League for the business-like manner in which they handled the recent Canoe Carnival through their committee consisting of Ernest Borchers, Jack Redhead, Chris Hoesli, Harley Russell and Clare Madsen. It was apparent to all that this committee worked hard and gave unstintingly of their time and services, which should be appreciated by all Grayling citizens.

I wish also to comment on the policy adopted by the Izaak Walton League of making a public financial statement covering all civic projects that they sponsor. Such a policy cannot help but build up confidence amongst Grayling citizens, confidence that apparently has been waning in the past through unbusinesslike methods of handling civic projects. Considering that the business men of Grayling were not asked to make donations toward the Canoe Carnival and the fact that adverse weather conditions in other parts of the State at that time helped to keep down the attendance, I consider it remarkable that the Carnival came out financially on the right side of the ledger and showed a small profit.

Dr. C. G. Clippert.

CCC Camp Doings

Counting Deer

Four areas, two within the Crawford State Game Refuge and two in public hunting areas, were driven by enrollees of CCC Camp Kalkaska last week to obtain a census of deer for the game division of the Department of Conservation. Foreman Harold Cliff was in charge of the drive, in which 118 CCC boys took part. More deer were counted within the Refuge areas than in the others, Cliff reported, and the deer were found to be in good physical condition.

A "blind" area covering the headwaters of the Manistee River northwest of here will soon have adequate fire detection service. The new DeWard fire tower, being constructed by CCC enrollees of Camp Kalkaska under the direction of foreman Harold Cliff, is nearing completion.

For many years the area of approximately 700 square miles has been a problem for forest fire officers, because smoke from fires there was hard to detect and harder to chart accurately from other towers. The new tower is located on a high hill near the "ghost" lumbering town of DeWard, west of Frederic. It is the new standard 100 foot steel tower with inside stairway.

Technical personnel and a few of the enrollees of CCC Camp AuSable witnessed an experiment in the use of tractor-driven "bulldozer" equipment in fighting forest fires in slash areas recently, through the co-operation of the Department of Conservation.

An area in the AuSable State Forest was chosen for the experiment. The bulldozer was used to move slash and to remove sod for a fireline, exposing mineral sand. Further development of the method is expected.

Foreman Joe Vance and a crew of CCC boys of Camp AuSable have been salvaging wildfall jack pine timber within the AuSable Forest from which lumber, poles, posts and fuel wood will be realized. Forester A. R. Philbrick and his crew have been painting picnic tables, cabins and toilets at the Down River, Portage-Lake, Sewell Hill and Grass Lake fire towers.

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CAPT. BATES TALKS ON PHILIPPINES EXPERIENCE

(Continued from first page)

civilization itself, but the influence of the church and religion. Democracy has been destroyed in all but two of the large countries of Europe, and the church as an institution is seriously threatened. The Christian interpretation of life is being challenged by the new paganism presented by materialism, false nationalism, Nazism, Fascism, and the worst aspects of communism.

The conference at Oxford was an attempt to meet the challenge of many anti-Christian elements. The delegates were outstanding leaders, including distinguished scholars, teachers, churchmen. They came with wide experience, ripened knowledge, and deep consecration. They spent the days together at Oxford, studying the problems before them and endeavoring to arrive at conclusions as to solutions and their application.

The delegates were divided into five groups, each group to make a concentrated study of its particular subject. The five subjects studied were: "Church and Community", "Church and State", "Church and the Economic Order", "Church, Community and State in Relation to Education", "The Ecumenical Church and the World of Nations."

These are all vital themes. What is the relation, for instance, of the church and the state? Where does the authority of the one begin and end? This question is acute and is crying for an answer in many places in the world, especially in Italy, Germany, Spain, Russia, and Mexico. At the present time many religious leaders of Germany are in prison, because they have refused to bow to the authority of the totalitarian state as expressed by Hitler. The conference tried to formulate principles and methods which would serve as guides in the conflict between church and state.

Throughout the world at present Christians are seriously wondering about the relation of the church to the economic order. How can the Christian principle of cooperation be made to work in an economic order based upon competition? What word has the church to speak about the conflict between capital and labor, between the profit and the service motives? The Christian religion places a supreme value upon human values. What is religion to say, then, when human values are made secondary to property values? These are some of the questions which the delegates in the group on "Church and the Economic Order" faced.

The delegates who studied the subject: "The Ecumenical Church and the World of Nations" concerned themselves with the question of the place of nationalism in a Christian world, of the rights and duties of the Christian citizen, of the Christian attitude toward war.

The conference at Oxford was of tremendous importance. The findings, conclusions, and deliberations of the conference will be published soon and doubtless will have a great influence upon the activities of the Christian church around the world.

The Term "Jubilee"

The term "jubilee" is from the Hebrew word *yobel*, or *yobel*, which means a ram or ram's horn and, by extension, the blast of a trumpet. According to the Jewish law the year following each seventh sabbatical year was to be announced by the sound of trumpets on the Day of Atonement as a year of remission and universal pardon. The year of jubilee occurred, therefore, once in every 50 years.

Blister-Rust Outbreak

Blister rust, a fatal disease of white pines, was discovered in British Columbia in 1910.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling in said county, on the 23rd day of August A. D. 1937.

Present, Hon. Charles E. Moore Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Jessie Coffman, insane. Merle F. Nellist, Prosecuting Attorney for said county having filed in said court his petition praying that a guardian of the person and property of said Jessie Coffman be appointed and that her estate be subjected to payment to the County of Crawford of the amount expended by it for her care and treatment while confined as a patient at the Traverse City State Hospital.

It is Ordered, That the 20th day of September A. D. 1937, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford-Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

Charles E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

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Charles E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

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Health & Hygiene

THE HEART IN MIDDLE LIFE

As middle age approaches, most people begin to take stock of their health, and fear of heart disease becomes a source of worry.

One of the most common conditions leading to circulatory disturbances in early middle life is eating too much, producing a marked increase in weight. The tremendous hazards of obesity in relation to the general health in middle life have been stressed frequently. Overweight alone undoubtedly contributes very widely to the increasing death rate from heart disease.

Another cause of heart disease is local infections. Abscessed teeth, tonsillar disease, gall bladder and prostatic infection have a general influence on the body in which the heart is usually involved. The body suffers from these unhealthy areas and the vital organs responsible for the circulation of the blood are impaired. Oftentimes this is the only source of trouble found in heart failure at this period of life.

Mental and physical fatigue and the constant strain of worry also affect the circulatory apparatus. The stress of modern living deprives the middle-aged person of the leisure necessary to maintain health. Haste and worry tend to bring on old age quickly. Nature provides a certain rhythm, including day and night, winter and summer, rest and sleep. The human herd, however, disregards this orderly provision to its disadvantage.

The value of regular physical exercise is a much debated subject, but the continued use of the muscles of the body at definite favorable intervals, in the absence of disease, contribute immensely to the reserve power of the circulatory system. It is a lack of reserve power which tends to bring on heart failure in the elderly person. The organ has tremendous powers of compensation and will maintain its load under great difficulty, but symptoms will appear in time if it is constantly overtaxed.

An early symptom of circulatory disturbance is shortness of breath upon ordinary exertion. Another is pain or a sensation of tightness in the chest, and sometimes swelling of the feet in the evening. These symptoms are not always present in heart disease and their presence does not necessarily indicate weakness of that organ, but they always are of sufficient importance to warrant investigation.

The electrocardiogram and the X-ray, together with a physical examination, usually will reveal the earliest signs of heart disease. Remember that the heart is a part of the body, sharing its fatigue, its local infections, its labor and its rest. It is often a part of the family inheritance sharing the weakness and strength of previous generations. Its care therefore is a part of the general problem of maintaining the health and these four factors of obesity, local infection, fatigue and exercise should be particularly guarded.

Sealed Bids

Sealed bids will be accepted for the transportation of four (4) children from School District No. 1, Beaver Creek Township to Grayling High School, nine miles one way, 18 miles round trip.

Bids will be opened Thursday, Sept. 9, 1937 at 8:00 p. m. Right reserved to accept or reject any or all bids.

George Annis, Director.

Surface Treatment For U. S. 27

Lansing, August 21.—The state highway department opened low bids totaling \$393,392 on five construction projects this week (Wednesday).

Three of the projects involve surface treatment on 79 miles of US-27 in the northern part of the state. This treatment will consist of an application of a surface coat of bituminous materials and coarse aggregates which will not only smooth out the road and eliminate imperfections but will also provide a non-skid surface. The treatment will be applied between Prudenville and Mullet Lake.

The other two projects are in the Upper Peninsula.

Low bids follow:
Cheboygan County—20.68 miles of non-skid surface treatment on US-27 from Wolverine to Mullet Lake. S. J. Hayes Company, Chicago, \$40,409.50.

Crawford and Otsego Counties—30.08 miles of non-skid surface treatment on US-27 from Grayling, north, Grand Rapids Asphalt Paving Company, Grand Rapids, \$91,240.

Houghton County—2.405 miles of grading and drainage and 20-foot concrete pavement on US-41 South of Calumet, Thornton Construction Company, Hancock, \$138,591.73.

Roscommon and Crawford Counties—28.26 miles of non-skid surface treatment on US-27 from Prudenville to Grayling, Warren Brothers Roads Company, Flint, \$88,222.91.

Marquette County—Grade separation on M-94 over Lake Superior and Ishpeming tracks, one-half mile east of US-41, L. W. Brumm, Marquette, \$34,928.20.

Grange Notes

The Crawford County Grange had a pleasant time as usual at their annual picnic held at Lake Margrethe.

Besides the good picnic dinner there was a program of sports in-

cluded in by old and young. Winners in the various contests were as follows:

Horseshoe contest—Melvin Enyart.

Boys race—Ernest Corwin.

Sack race (small boys)—Bruce Babbitt.

Sack race (older boys)—Donald Corwin.

Girls race—Zina Stephan.

Paper sack battle—Lillian Cool.

Bean guessing contest—Faye Christenson.

Scrambled verse—F. Wakeley.

Fifteen riddles were given and first one in the crowd who gave correct answer received a roll of Life Savers.

The baking contest and sale will be held Saturday at Con-

mines Grocery. All Grangers who have baked goods to be judged please have it in by 1:00 o'clock. It will be judged at that hour.

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